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This is a response to the October 30, 2007 Final Office Action and is filed concurrently with an RCE. Any fees required for any reason related to this filing may be deducted from Fulbright & Jaworski Account No.: 50-1212/AFEI:002US. Reconsideration is respectfully requested.